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TIME & TIDE
WAIT
FOR NO MAN

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300 BOYS ASSEMBLE IN CHATHAM FOR CALPOKKE, JUNE 2nd, 3rd and 4th.
NAVAL RESERVE BALL SET FOR JUNE 28th BY UNIT FIVE TO RAISE FUNDS--
Sheriff Crocker S calls

Boys
trudged last mile with
full equipment
Chatham Scouts sleep
in army tents

Boy Scouts from all over the Cape assembled in East Harwich back of the RCA station for their annual campfire June 2, 3, and 4th. Scouts arriving the night of June 2nd after walking the last mile with full equipment were faced with the problem of setting up tents cooking food and other such tasks. Saturday was occupied with scout activities, swimming and contests. Prizes were offered for originally in camp sites. The Harwich Patrol of Chatham proved upon inspection to have swimming bars made out of branches, other troops had fancy entrances and continued on page 4.

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF
SHYC APPEAL FOR PING
PONG TABLE****-

Mrs. Mark McClay,
Chairman of the house
committee of the Stage
Harbor Yacht Club has
announced an appeal for
a ping pong table and a
kerosene stove for the
summer to use at the
clubhouse.

WEATHER VANE TAKEN DOWN--

The weather vane in
front of the light house
has been taken down.
The land on which it
stood will be presented
to the town by the fed-
eral government. It
has not yet been re-
erected inside the
light house grounds.

The fireworks ball will
be held August 11th.
Students of C.H.S. will
have Tuesday and Wednes-
day of this week for
examinations and on
Thursday a moving pic-
ture about Baseball will
be shown, Friday Gradua-
tion.

Flags to Decorate
the Walls

Dance to be
Drill to Watch

The annual Naval
Reserve Ball will
be held in Chatham
Manor, as it was in
last year, on July
28th. There will
be a small affair in
the morning and the
will be used to im-
prove the headquarters
and the already
efficient service of
Unit Five. 10% of
it will go to the
Naval Relief Fund;
a fund to help sail-
ors in times of need.

The dancing will
be held after a de-
monstration by Unit
Five.

There is going to
be a booklet issued
as there was last
year. It will con-
tain some interest-
ing information.
Unit Five welcomes
you and hopes that
you have a wonderful
time.

Peter Dodge

A crazy flyer who said he was heading for Mars
was rescued off Cape Cod by a Boston fishing traw-
ler and taken into Boston, last week.

Items of Interest-

A reunion is planned for the Class of '35 CHS sometime in June. Miss Louise Gould is Chairman of the committee on arrangements.

Rollar Skateing will be resumed at the Chatham Manor for the THIRD time sometime this month.

Rollar Skateing will be every night in the Rainbow ball room in Hyannis after June 20th.

The rumor that the manor was condemned is untrue or just a fish story according to our reporter.

The new sign up by Nickerson's will be started in the near future.

A sandwich shop has been opened where Mr. Balfour planned to have a restaurant with a liquor license, thus ending one of the biggest litigation Chatham has ever experienced.

On June 9th at 10 A.M. a rummage sale will be held opposite the bowling alleys for the benefit of the M.E. Church.

BUILDINGS AUCTIONED

Two Buildings at the Chatham Coast Guard Station were auctioned off at 2 o'clock on June 6th but the CHATTER has been unable to find out who received them.

NEW TELEPHONE SERVICE INAUGURATED-----

At four o'clock on June fifth Chatham's new telephone service was inaugurated. The new telephone which does not require ringing is working very efficiently. All party line numbers were changed the last number being substituted by a letter. New directory's have been sent out by the company. Beginning June 12th it will be possible to visit the new switchboard.

The General Motors Building-----

When you go to wait in line to see the General Motors Building, you have a good building to see, but a nice long wait also. You go on some moving chairs. There is a radio in the chair which tells all about what you see.

In front of you, you see the highway of tomorrow, which has fourteen different lanes. Then as you go along, you may glance at a city in 1960, and look at a brilliantly lighted p. 5-----.

Post Office Sailing Race ends with Victory for Able-Bodied Seaman Tuttle-----

The long her 1001 sailboat race between members of the Chatham Post Office was held on Sunday, June 4. The race was in Pleasant Bay and ended in victory for able-bodied Seaman, Mr. Harold Tuttle, and his crew, Wilbur Doane. Postmaster Captain Paul W. Karr and his mate, William Mathison, were defeated. Captain Karr attempted to take a short route and ran aground on a sandbar. Because of this, he finished far behind. Well informed sources have brought to our attention that a financial transaction to the amount of two dollars was the result of the race. L. M. J. Housing

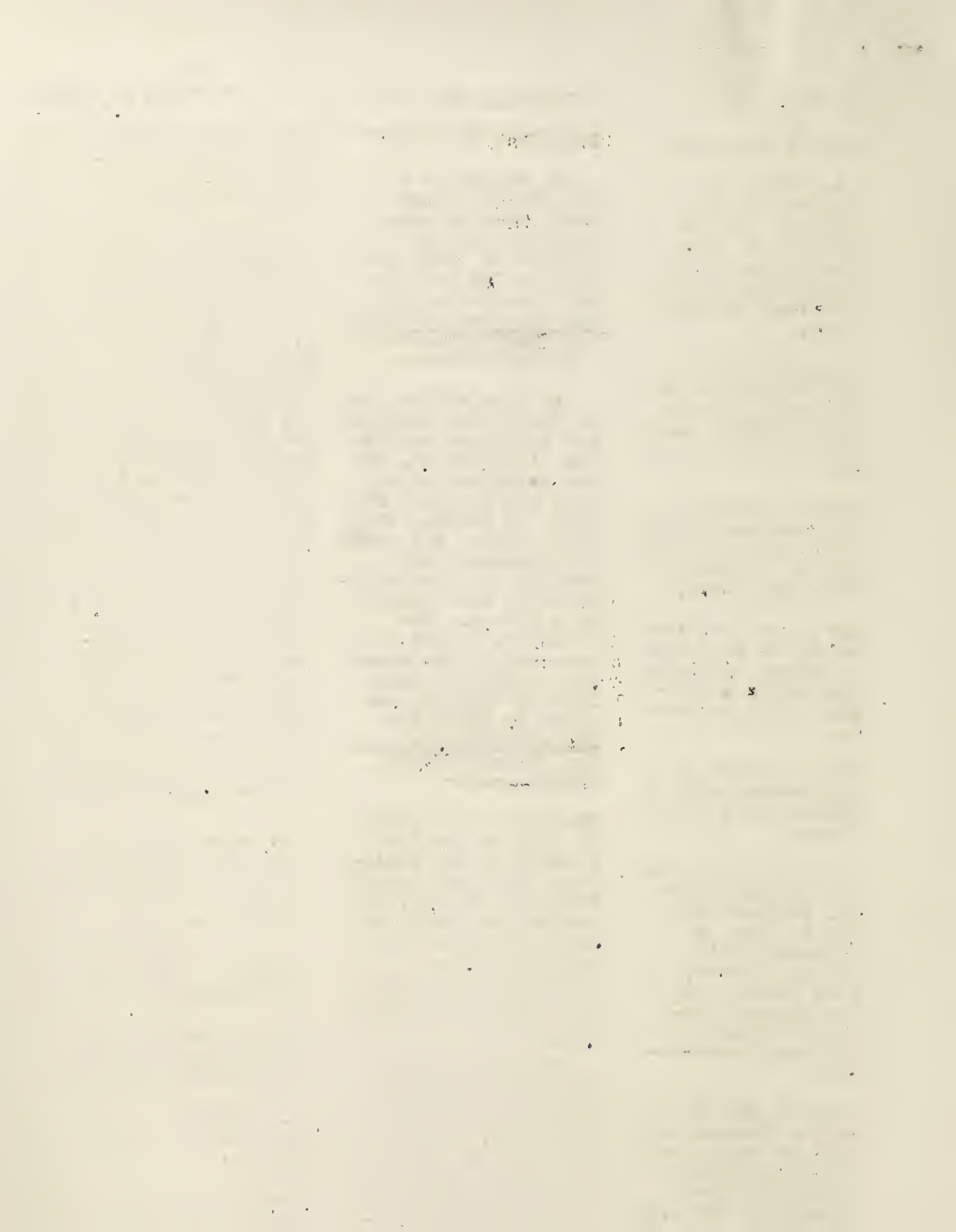
Mrs. R. A. Dregg is erecting a house in North Chatham. It is rapidly nearing completion.

Mr. Ernest Baker is building a house in South Chatham.

Mrs. Peterson is building a camp on Stony Hill Road in North Chatham.

Mr. A. Baker is building a house in South Chatham.

Mrs. D. Haller is having windows put in on the second floor of her house.



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BOY SCOUTS* * * P * * * * *

The boy scouts have been an
organization now for 25 years
yet they have made a big mark
on American life and a very
important one. They have made a
big mark on Cape Cod where the
work is felt more than ever in
improving the boys tastes and
teaching them useful things. In
everybody's the scouts have al-
ways been of great assistance
to everybody. Their Campore
(see page one) has demonstrated
to us the they PRACTICE WHAT
THEY PREACH. We must really
emulate them and their scout
masters for the fine thing they

are doing with themselves and the
fine things they are doing for
America. L. B. G.

Fascist and Nazi Moves-----*

First we must go back to 1933,
1933, that fatal year, when Hitler
gained control of Germany. Musso-
lini had already gained controlover
Italy. The first important move was
that Italy conquered Ethiopia, in
1935. In 1887 they got a strip on
the eastern edge of Ethiopia called
Italian East Africa.

In October 1936 the next import-
ant move started - it was the Rome-
Berlin axis. The first step it took
was to grant aid to Franco in Spain.
It was mainly Italy who did this.
They both however supported Franco
from 1936-1939. Without their help
he would have lost.

In 1938 Hitler made a one hour
ultimatum to Austria to surrender
or to be attacked. It called upon
France, but France was having an
election crisis. Finally Austria
surrendered. That was March 13,
1938.

In September and October one
of the greatest things that happen-
ed since Versailles occurred - it
was the Munich Pact. The rulers
of the foremost powers Great Brit-
ain, France, Italy and Germany,
in Europe (with the exception of
the USSR) conferred in Munich.

The Pact said that the coun-
try of Czechoslovakia should cede
Sudetenland, -they said that the
Germans had been illtreated there.
It was ceded October first 1938.
Finally Pres. Benes (the Czech
patriot leader) resigned, for he
could not bear to see his country
have its downfall under his rule.
Then they chose a president who
favored Germany.

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Next they divided Czech into three states Bohemia - Moravia, Slovakia and Carathenia-Ukraine. The last one Hungary got. They first one was taken by Germany, on March 15, 1939. Slovakia was also taken by Germany on the next day.

On March 23rd Lithuania ceded Memel, which Germany had before the war. Hitler is now threatening Danzig and Polish Corridor.

Italy next invaded Albania (April 1939) and there were small skirmishes - Italy won, of course. King Zog its ruler fled to Greece and to Turkey.

Italy has threatened Tunis French Somaliland, Savoy, Nice and Corsica.

WHAT WILL BE THEIR NEXT MOVE?
DEMOCRACIES MUST ACT BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE.

Boy Scout Camporre

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unique fireplaces and many made modern devices out of natures materials. Saturday night a campfire was held at which Sheriff Crocker spoke. At about 8 o'clock the meeting began with the lowering of the flag which was followed by several exercises led by Mr. Bruce Stewart head of the Cape scouts.

An address was then made by Major Samuel Stewart, chairman of the scout committee of arrangements which made the camporre possible. Sheriff Crocker then addressed the boys.

After telling some stories of his experiences in France during the war Sheriff Crocker reminded the boys that some one has to take care of the bad men of the community.


"I am afraid," said he that when your parents wanted to frighten you they said they would call an officer but remember some one has to take care of the bad men of the community". He explained how a seemingly small thing can turn into a serious crime. Explained Sheriff Crocker "If a man walks up to a neighbors door - stop and takes a bottle that is trespassing and a misdemeanor and a fine or a term in the house of correction will be the punishment but if a man enters a house and takes a bottle that is a felony and he cango to the state penitentiary for it". Sheriff Crocker reminded the scouts of the difference between bravado and bravery and cautioned then against the use of alcohol informing the scouts that 85% of the prisoners in the House of correction are there because of liquor not because of drunken driving or intoxication but of stealing to buy liquor etc.

After the meeting was over there was singing around the campfire with the Mashpee scouts furnishing the music. Sunday the boys attended church and camp was broken right after lunch.

Chatham had three troops. The Hawk, the Owl and the Sea gull who slept in army tents along the beach at the camp.

The Baseball game on June 8th Harwich vs Chatham ended in a tie 4 to 4.

A parade, Band Concert, Ball Game, Dory Race, Sail boat race, and a fireworks display will feature Chatham's Fourth celebration. A committee is now working on plans.



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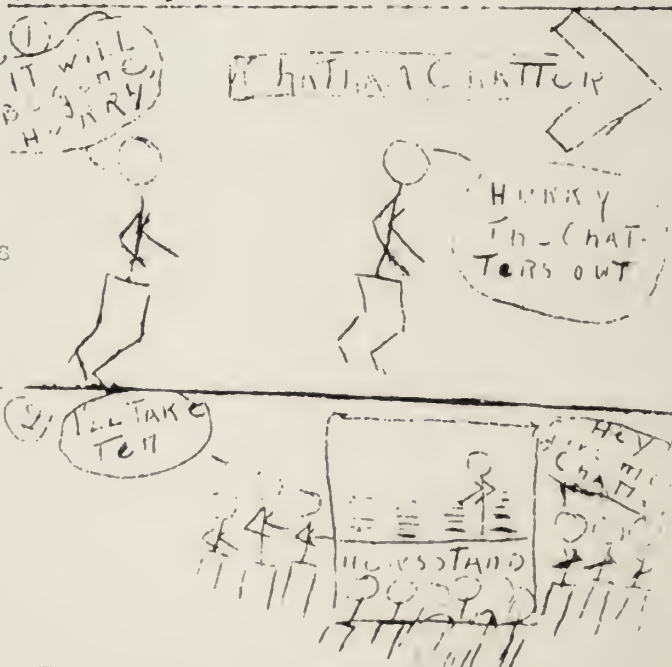
1. There are 300 to 400 buildings in the New York World's Fair.
 2. \$100,000 have been offered to have the Disarms at the Fair.
 3. There are 1,000,000 tulips at the Fair. They will be destroyed when the Fair is over because duty was not paid for them and they would remove Holland's bulb market in the United States.
(Holland gave them)
 4. The Fair takes up 1216½ acres. If you laid the Fair on Manhattan Island it would go from 48th to 115th Street between First and Eighth Avenues.
 5. In the Children's World there is a trip around the world in a train. Also there is a European one-ring circus. There is a dog show in here. Some of the famous dogs that are in it are "King", a dog with a human mind and a dog whose joints can bend any way.
 6. There are about 62 countries participating in the Fair.
 7. The administration Building cost \$900,000.
 8. The Medical and Public Health Building has a babies mouth and you must a lover and the teeth begin to grow.
 9. The diameter of the Perisphere is 200 feet.
 10. The Tylon is 700 feet high.
- j. Teller and A. Gilbert

view of a roadway leading to one of the cities. Then you climb to a higher altitude and the roadway continues over high mountains, and you see a view of a city and you see it divided into sections. It is night and the lights turn on. Then the roadway still continues. As we notice in the last city, there were different kinds of buildings, they represent buildings of 1500 feet high, some were very straight tall ones, other small ones with large porches. One roadway is on top of another and both go in different directions. That will probably save many auto accidents.

THAT IS THE WORLD OF 1960!

Frank E. Gilbert

Spaulding Dunbar builder of Corsairs and Catabouts is now making a Junior Catabout which is made of ply wood has only a mainsail which is the same area as the Catabout.



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ed carnival at night. As you pass along you come to highways on the way to mountains. Now you get down to lower ground and you take a look at a plain where several cities are situated. Then you get a close-up

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